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- 2. U.S. Patent 4,960,600. *Polyol polyesters as a protective moisture barrier for foods*, October 2, 1990.
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Me ting Presentations

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- 2. *Modification of Whey Proteins to Improve Functionality*, presented at American Dairy Science Association Meeting, Madison, WI, June 27-29, 1983.
- 3. Evaluation of an Edible, Heat-Sensitive Cellulose Ether-Lipid Film as a Barrier to Moisture Transmission, presented at 46th Annual Meeting, Institute of Food Technologists, Dallas, TX, June 15-18, 1986.
- 4. Olestra A Fat Substitute for Frying Applications, presented at Conference on Fat and Cholesterol Reduced Foods: Technologies and Strategies, New Orleans, LA, March 22-24, 1990.

- 5. Use of Olestra as a Fat Substitute for Frying Applications, presented at Low Calorie Food Product Development short course (American Association of Cereal Chemists), Orlando, FL, February 17-18, 1992.
- 6. Food Product Development Using Olestra as a Fat Substitute, presented at the Issues and Innovations in Food Science Symposium, Univ. of Wisconsin, Madison, WI, April 14, 1994.
- 7. Characteristics and Uses of Olestra, presented at the NY/NJ IFT section meeting, Newark, NJ, April 6, 1996.
- 8. Safety, Properties, and Uses of Olestra, presented at Low Calorie Food Product Development short course (American Association of Cereal Chemists), Chicago, IL, May 7, 1996.
- 9. Properties and Uses of Olestra, presented at Low Calorie Food Product Development short course (American Association of Cereal Chemists), Orlando, FL, Feb. 11,1997.
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